# **Department of Biochemistry**

# Biochemistry Purchasing System

**User Manual: Guest Lab** 



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### Introduction

The Biochemistry's Administration & Finance Office is a team of dedicated professionals whose focus is to facilitate and support the teaching and research efforts of the department. We seek to efficiently manage the department's available funding and resources in order to meet the growing needs of the department, effectively manage the physical infrastructure of the department and to ensure the timely delivery of goods and services. We actively seek to provide excellence in customer service, in keeping with the standards and values of the University.

We have initiated the implementation of the Biochemistry Purchasing System (BPS) to replace the current paper procedure used by the Biochemistry labs to place orders. BPS is a sophisticated, web based, dependable, easily maintained database system.

# BPS provides you with:

- An approval flow process that supports the requirements of the many different funding agencies that support Biochemistry's research.
- Order tracking so that you can identify where your order is in the process, from order submission to product receipt.
- A central repository for all documentation associated with a purchase, and documentation that is retrievable at any time, with minimal effort. This is required for the effective management and reporting of our grant spending.
- Reporting that can provide information to make the most of your purchasing dollars and reduce time and effort.
- Software can be deployed and configured without an IT department.

## **System requirements**

BPS is a Web based application that can be accessed from any computer with an internet connection. There is no additional software needed.

It has been tested using these browsers:

- Internet Explorer 7.0
- Firefox 5.0
- Chrome 1.0
- Safari 4

# **Getting Started**

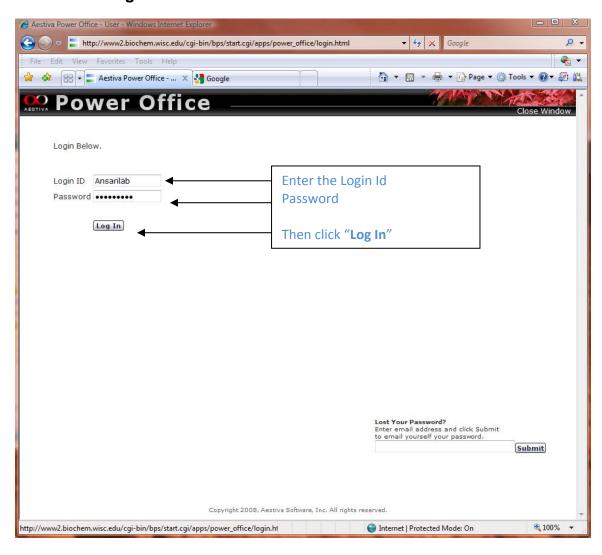
This is the starting URL. Enter it into your browser and add it to your "Bookmarks".

http://www2.biochem.wisc.edu/cgi-bin/bps/start.cgi/apps/power\_office/login.html

It displays the login page.

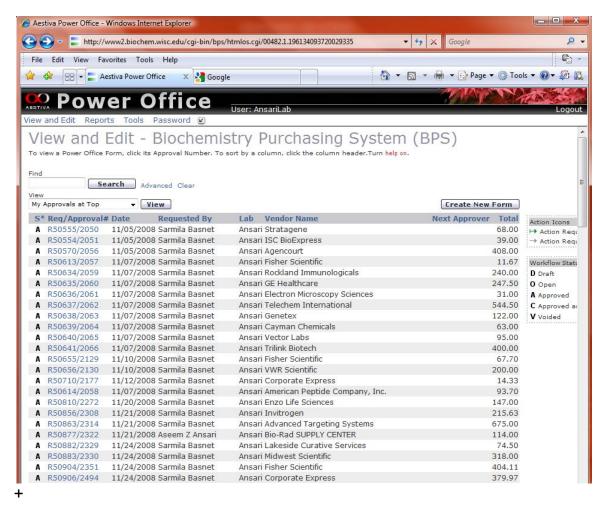
For the Guest Lab use:

- Login ID: Guest
- Password: Guest
- Click "Log In"



## The View and Edit Page

After logging in, the "View and Edit" page is displayed. The "View and Edit" page is your starting point for creating an order, reviewing existing orders and creating reports. Creating an order will be explained next, the other options are explained in later parts of this manual.

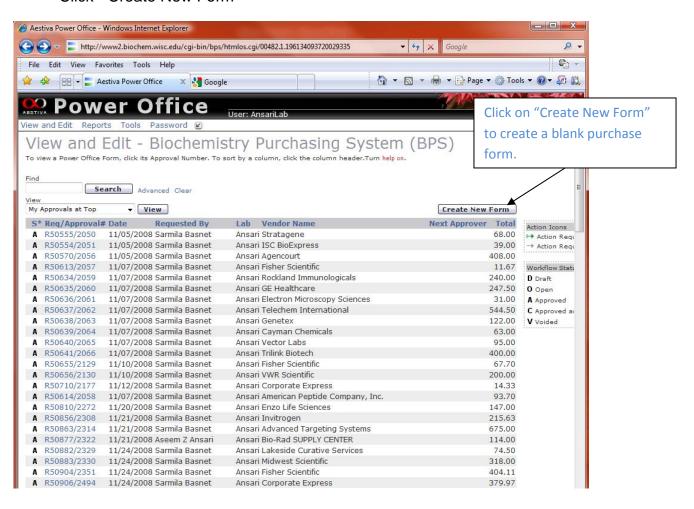


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# Placing an order

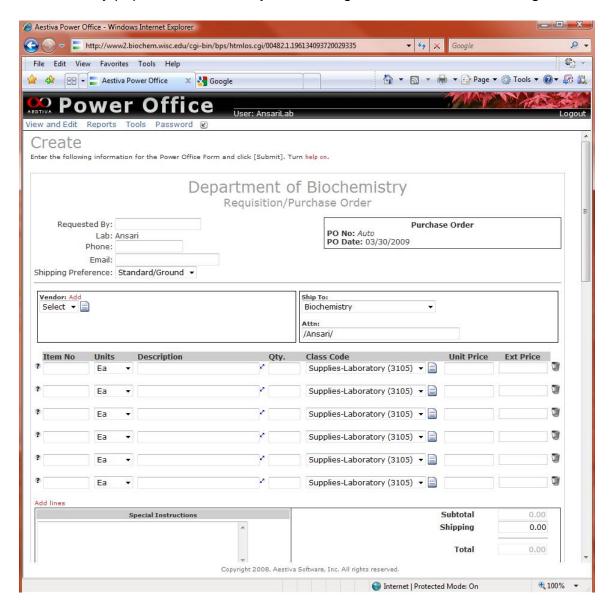
Follow these steps to place an order with the Biochemistry purchasing department.

Click "Create New Form"



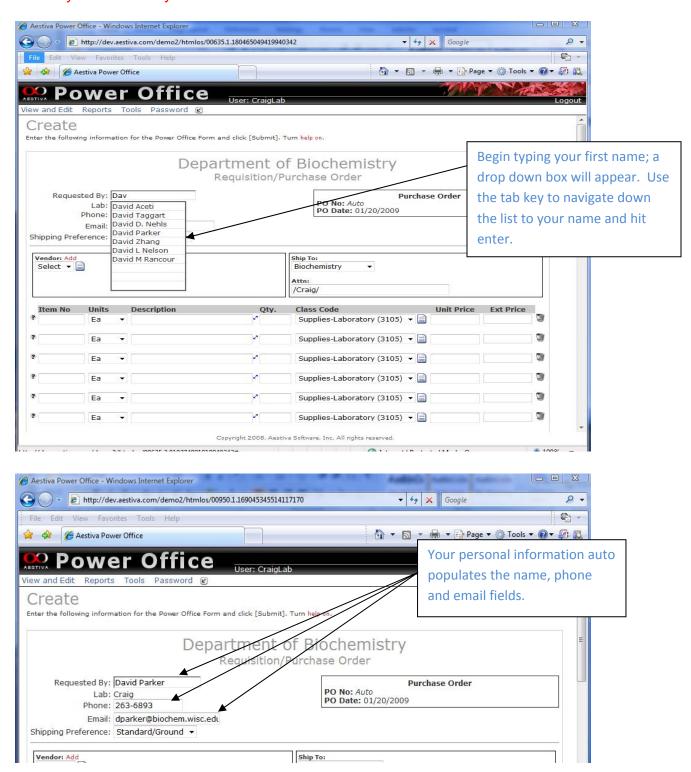
# **The Purchasing Request Form**

A blank Requisition/Purchase Order form is created. The "Lab" field is automatically populated based on your user login id, and cannot be changed.



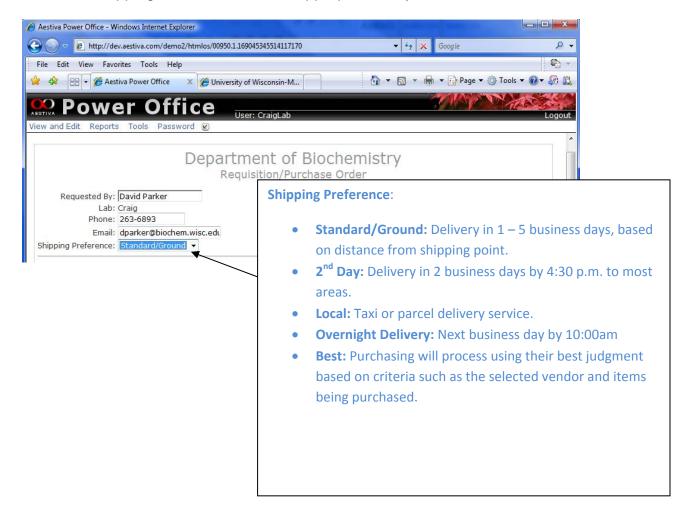
# **Filling the Purchase Request: Personal Information**

Begin by entering your name into the "Requested By' field, this will auto populate Phone and Email. Note: you must have your name listed in the Biochemistry directory to use this system.



# **Select Shipping Preference**

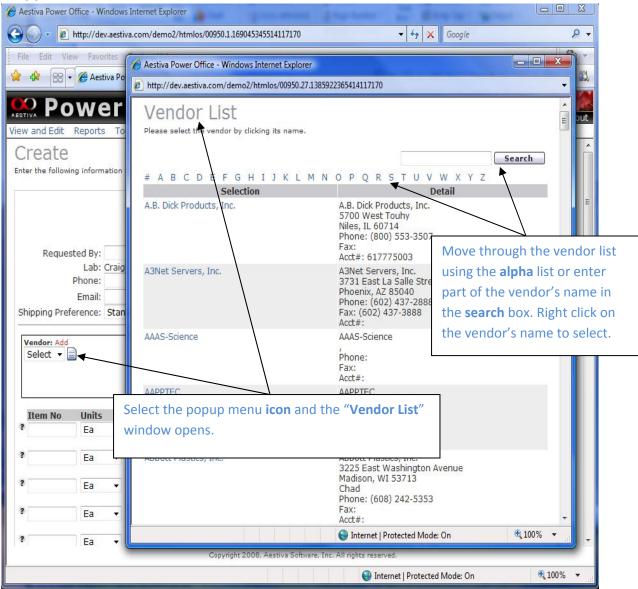
Select the shipping choice that is most appropriate for your needs.



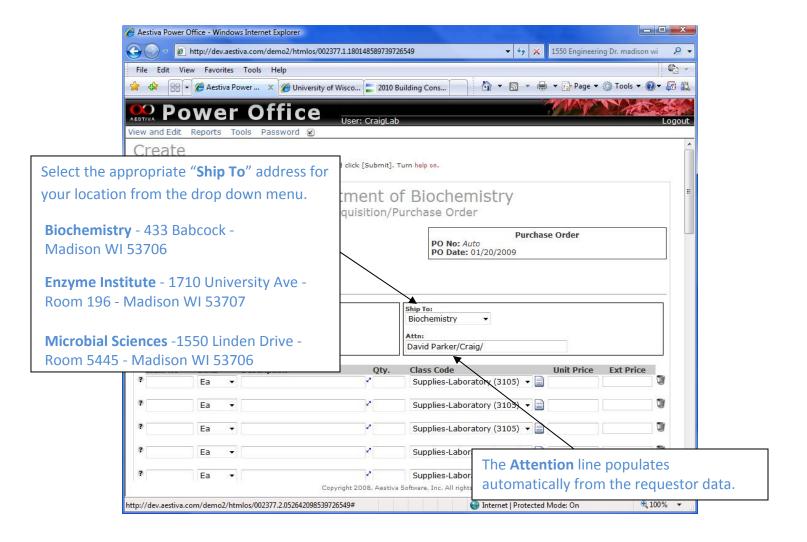
### **Select Vendors**

We have preloaded over 1200 vendors that are commonly used by the

Biochemistry department. Click on the menu icon let o open a "Vendor List" window.



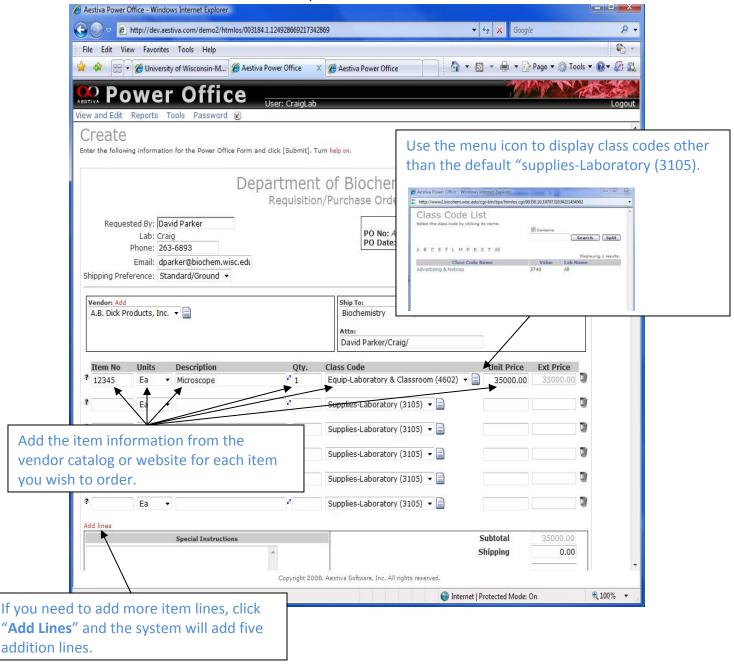
# **Select Ship To location**



### Enter items to be ordered

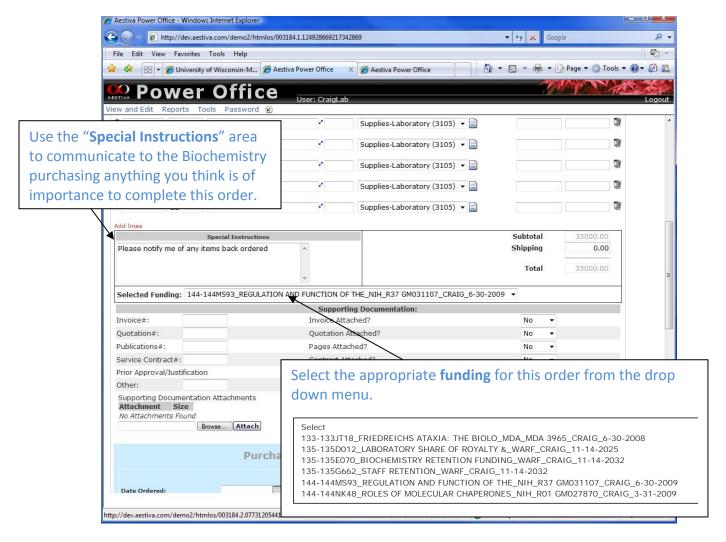
Enter the items you wish to order using the vendor's catalog or website. The class code default to "supplies-Laboratory (3105), if this is incorrect for this item,

then select the menu icon 🗐 to open a class code list.

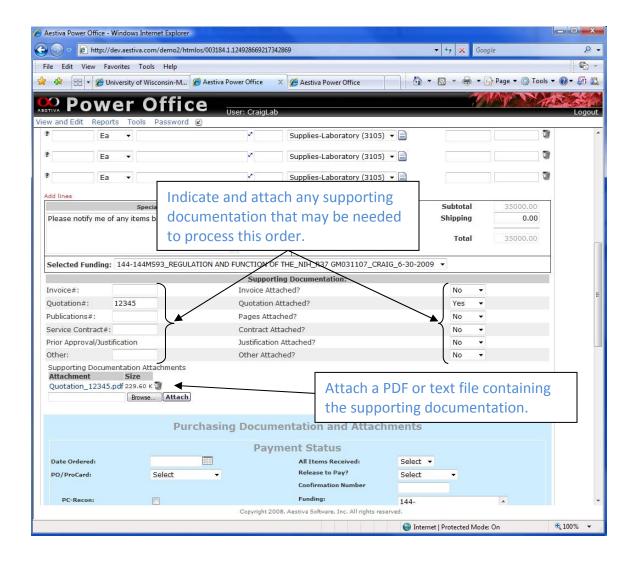


# Selecting funding and special instructions

Funding needs to be selected carefully. Review with your Professor or Lab Manager. Only funding for your lab will be available in the drop down menu.



# **Supporting documentation**

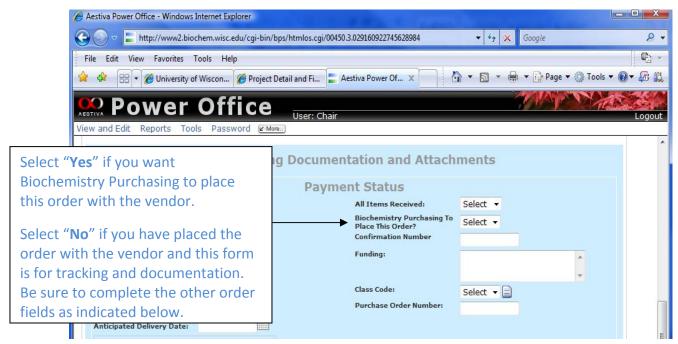


### How to attach a file:

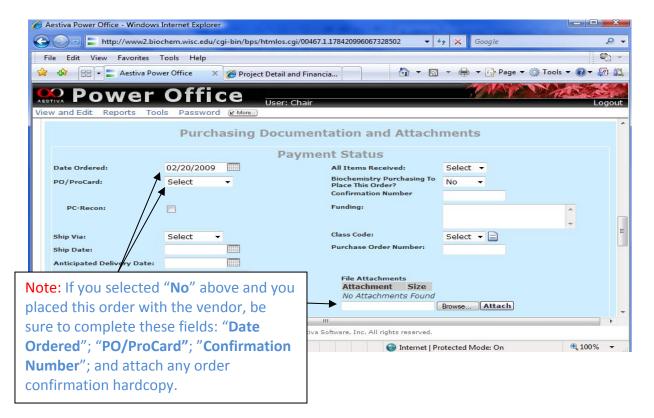
- 1. Select "Browse"
- 2. Direct the dialog box to the file's location
- 3. In the dialog box select the file you want to attach, click "Open"
- 4. On the purchase request form, click "Attach"
- 5. Your file name should be listed under the "Attachment" heading

# Indicating if Biochemistry Purchasing should place this order.

This required field is used to indicate if you have already placed this order with the vendor and you created this form for tracking only, or if you want the Biochemistry Purchasing group to place this order with the vendor.

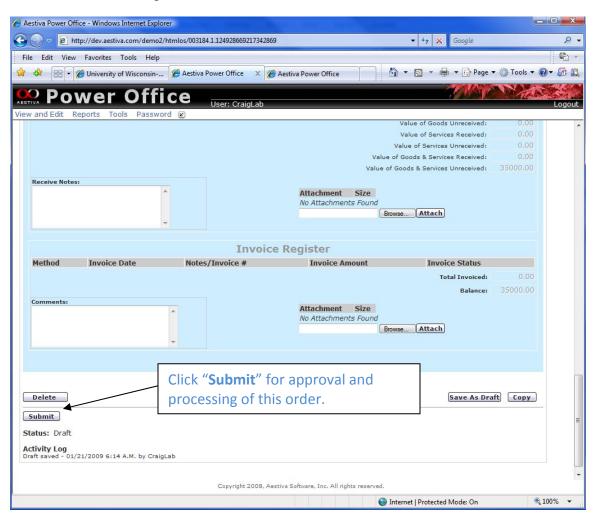


If you selected "No" above, be sure to complete these other order fields:



# Submitting your order

Review your order for completeness and correctness and then click "Submit" at the bottom of the Page.



# What happens after I submit an order?

1. You create an order and submit it.

6. Your order is displayed on the "View and Edit" screen in "approved" status and can be tracked through to receiving.

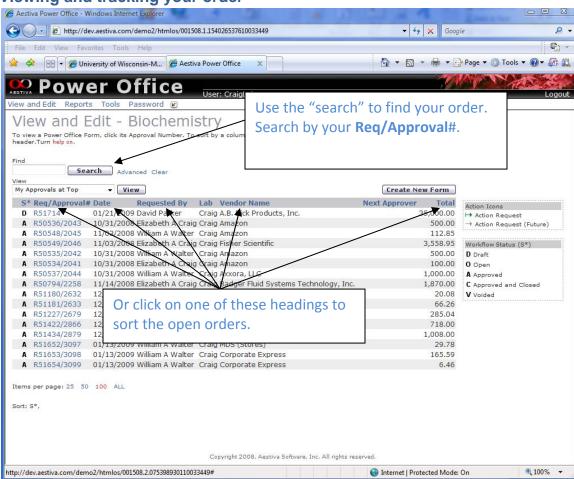
2. The "Lab Approver" receives an email informing them that you have submitted an order.

5. Biochemistry Purchasing reviews and places your approved order.

3. The approver reviews your order and approves it or rejects it.

4. If approved, Biochemistry
Purchasing is notified that you
have an approved order, if
rejected the order is returned to
you.

# Viewing and tracking your order

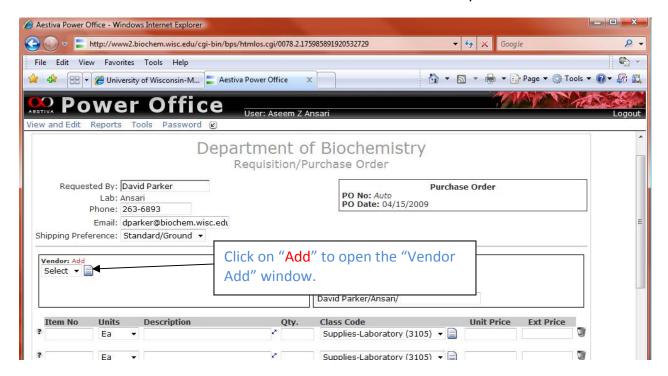


### Search Results

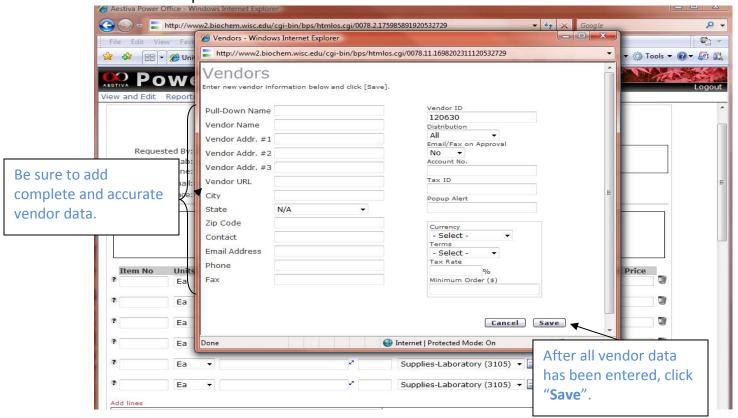


# Adding a new vendor(1,2)

To add a vendor that is not in the vendor list: Click on "Add" to open a window.



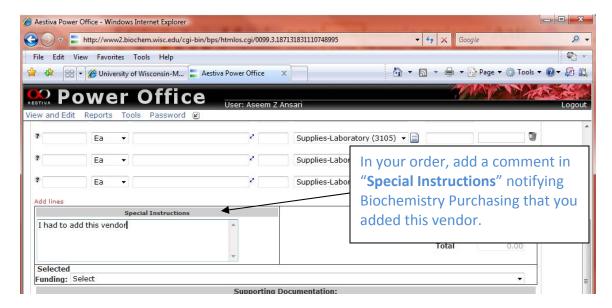
Enter the complete data for the new vendor.



# Adding a new vendor(2,2)

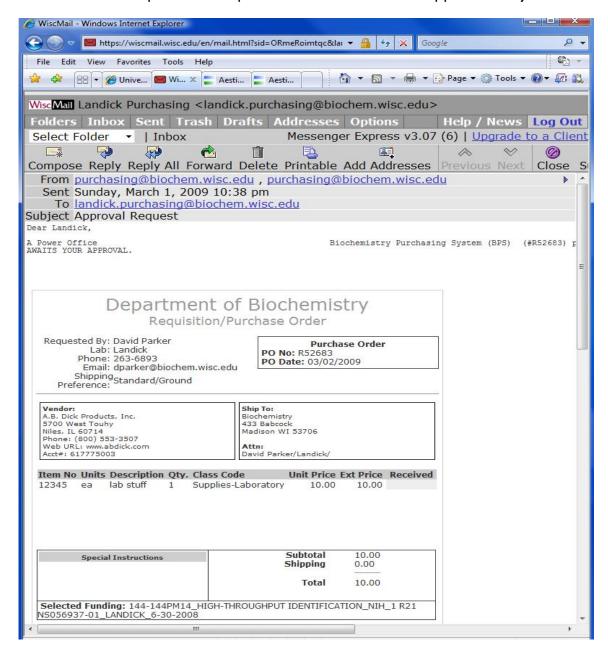
After adding the new vendor, please add a note saying that you added the vendor.

Biochemistry Purchasing will review the new vendor data.

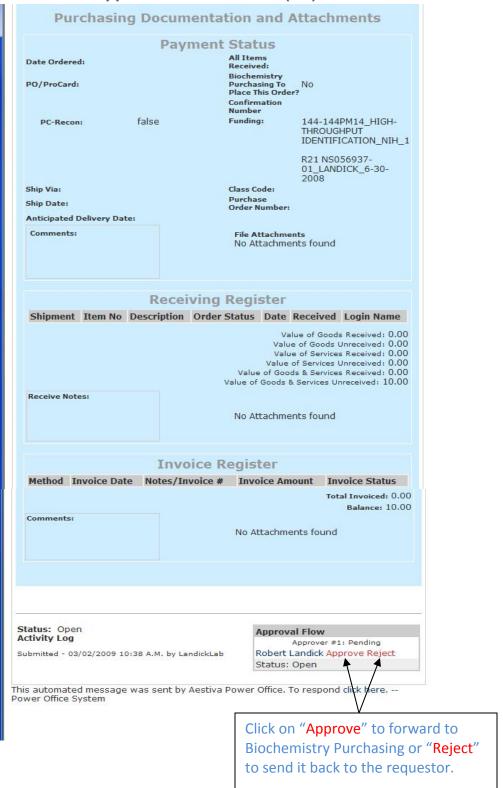


# Access the "Approver" email account(1/2)

- 1. Go to https://wiscmail.wisc.edu/mailplus
- 2. Enter the email address <a href="mailto:landick.purchasing@biochem.wisc.edu">landick.purchasing@biochem.wisc.edu</a>.
- 3. The default password is "Default123"
- 4. Review the purchase request. At the bottom select approve or reject.



# Access the "Approver" email account(2/2)



# **Procard Reconciling (1/3)**

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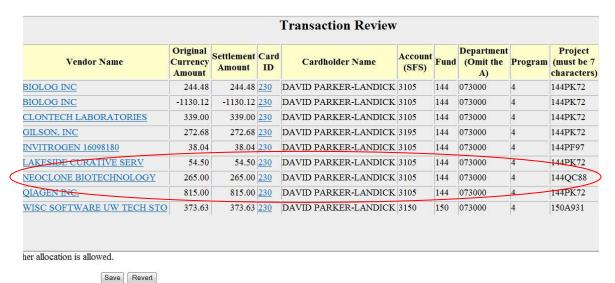
Once you begin using BPS for ordering, you do not need to use 4D to reconcile your biweekly procard statement. When using BPS, the funding that you selected in your order is used to update PVSnet (online system that provides statements) with the funding. Here's how it works.

1. You place an order through BPS and provide funding: Subtotal 250.00 Special Instructions 15.00 Shipping Total 265.00 Selected Funding: 144-144QC88\_GENOME-WIDE CHANGES IN BACTERI\_NSF MCB-0640642\_LANDICK\_2-28-2010 Supporting Documentation: Invoice Attached? Invoice#: No Quotation#: Quotation Attached? No

Pages Attached?

No

2. The Procard site manager uses this funding data to populate the PVSnet:



# **Procard Reconciling (2/3)**

3. When the Procard Cardholder receives their by-weekly statement, the funding is reflected on the statement:

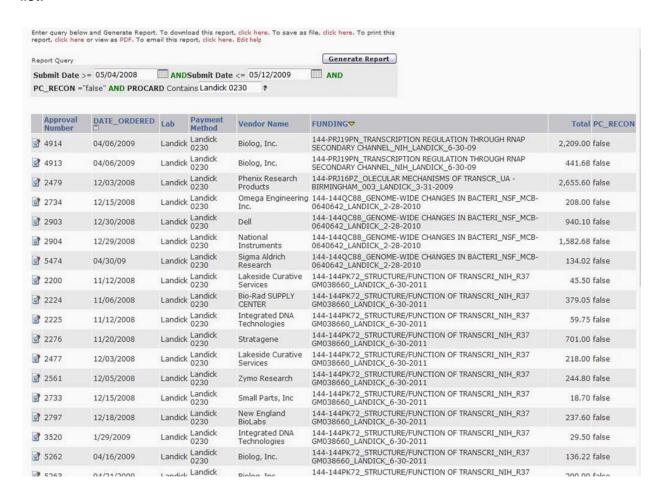


As a card holder, you need only review the funding for accuracy. If all the funding is correct, sign the statement and return it to the site manager. If changes are needed, mark the changes needed, sign and return to the site manager. Please attach all required documentation to the BPS record.

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# **Procard Reconciling (3/3)**

4. A report has been created to help you review Procard activity. Go to "Reports", and then select "Procard Reconciliation". Enter the start and end dates for the period of activity you'd like to review, and select your card from the list.



# **Notes:**

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